(Warren, OH) – Congressman Tim Ryan (OH-17) released the following statement on the shooting of Arizona Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords:

"I am shocked and saddened by today's senseless act of violence," stated Congressman Ryan.

"My thoughts and prayers are with Congresswoman Giffords, her husband and family, as well as her staff, the other victims of this tragedy, and all of their families. Gabby is a friend and a great advocate for the state of Arizona. It is unthinkable that such a talented and committed Representative should come under attack while serving her constituents. Today is a sad day, indeed."

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